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<p>In re application of:</p> <p>MCCARTHY</p> <p>Serial No.: 09/654,718</p> <p>Filed: 09/05/2000</p> <p>Title: Method for Coordinating Information Flow Between Components</p>	<p>Group Art Unit: 2151</p> <p>Examiner: George L. Opie</p> <p>Docket: RZMI-P520</p> <p>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the US Postal Service as First Class Mail in a postage-paid envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313 on January 5, 2005.</p> <p>Signed: /Cassandra Reynolds/ Cassandra Reynolds</p>
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 5, 2004, Applicant submits this Notice of Appeal and the required fee of \$250 by credit card. Applicant will file an Appeal Brief and fee of \$250 in due course. Applicant requests that all deficits and credits be referenced to Deposit Account No. 502284 order RZMI-P520.

If any matters can be resolved by telephone, Applicant requests that the Patent and Trademark Office call the Applicant at the telephone number listed below.

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